

## HARBOR CHAMBERS IN PROTEST AGAINST CEMETERY ZONE ACT

Protest was registered against the action of the city council of Los Angeles in placing the McKinley Home property, in the shoestring strip, south of Gardena, in the cemetery zone, at the regular monthly meeting of the Harbor District Chambers of Commerce at Gardena Thursday evening, Feb. 14. The attitude of the organization was contained in strong resolutions condemning the practice of alleged "wildcat" promoters of cemetery projects which have been launched in numbers recently, and was also directed to the board of county supervisors concerning the location of the new Lawndale cemetery on the Riverside boulevard four miles east of Hermosa Beach.

It was alleged by J. S. Crandall, who presented the resolution on behalf of Gardena, and also Attorney Frank R. Carroll, that these cemetery projects have been launched as investment schemes, following the decline in interest in oil stock promotion. That there is no need for additional burial ground capacity in the metropolitan harbor district was the claim made by the backers of the resolution.

The city council was requested to rescind its action by taking the McKinley Home property out of the cemetery zone, and the supervisors were asked to look carefully into every request for permission to locate new cemeteries. The action taken was unanimously approved by the 300 representatives of 29 Chambers of Commerce and civic bodies present.

of 100,000 population for a period of 10 years. He explained that the average time required to develop shrubbery on a watershed was 25 years and that a good watershed would absorb 80 per cent of the precipitation.

A burned-over area, however, would retain only 6 per cent of the moisture. "We have always been short of water in Los Angeles, and unless we conserve every gallon that is now available we will face a condition more grave than is now being felt in the San Fernando valley, where the appropriation for orchard irrigation has been cut to four inches a month. If Los Angeles is inviting thousands of people to make their homes here, some immediate steps must be taken to provide adequate water supply. The water supply has now been almost entirely appropriated, and the relief must come by an elaborate development of plans for strict conservation," stated Mr. Rosecrans. The county authorities are to be requested for an appropriation of \$100,000 for the 1924 program. The plans of the association, as outlined by Mr. Rosecrans, were unanimously endorsed by the organization and membership in the association was applied for, F. C. Finkle, well known engineer of Los Angeles and active worker in the Harbor District Chambers of Commerce, being named as the representative of that body to the association.

**Talks on Sewage**  
Assistant County Engineer E. B. Warren talked on sanitation problems, stating that ocean disposal was the ultimate solution of the sewage problem which is now giving concern to practically every community in the harbor district, as well as many other localities in the metropolitan Los Angeles area.

President Frank F. Merriam of Long Beach presided over the meeting, which was held in the Gardena Union high school auditorium. The next meeting of the Harbor District Chambers of Commerce will be held in Bell on March 13.

## TORRANCE PERSONS' AND PASTIMES

Comings, Goings and Doings of Folks Hereabouts

Misses Lella O'Quinn and Wallace Richey and Messrs. Loren Maddox and Ray Atkinson attended the orange show at San Bernardino Sunday.

S. Beeson Sr., F. P. Powers and B. F. Simpson were business visitors in Los Angeles Monday.

Attorney A. W. Mueller of the Plaza hotel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William M. Kidd of Long Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Bradford of Cabrillo avenue, Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hughes of Torrance Park attended the barbecue at the Saulsbury ranch Sunday.

Mrs. Effie Jane Hayden was a week-end guest of Mrs. Travis and Miss Ruth Travis, of Los Angeles.

Mrs. O. H. Burnett, Mrs. E. B. Smith and Mrs. W. C. Bright were luncheon guests Monday of Mrs. Harry Hodge of Redondo Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cline of Bell were week-end guests of friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Roberts and family were guests of friends at Beverly Hills Sunday.

Frank J. Madden of Arlington avenue returned last week from a trip to Imperial Valley, Mexcala, Tia Juana and San Diego.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Kingsley of Arlington avenue were entertained Sunday by Mrs. Arthur Wilson and Miss Jessie Black of Los Angeles, formerly of Flint, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Woodington and sister, Mrs. F. M. Reavie, were guests Sunday of Earl Strong of Whittier.

Mrs. Janette Woodburn of Cabrillo avenue attended a meeting of the P. E. O. club at Hollywood Monday evening.

Mrs. Paul Harested and son, Paul Jr., are guests this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wood of Long Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Barnett are redecorating the interior of their home on Arlington avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Von Hagen and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fess and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Roberts enjoyed a picnic at Hermosa Beach Sunday.

Mrs. Willis Brooks is entertaining a sister from Bishop.

M. F. Bartlett and sons, Robert and Allan, and Miss Grace Bartlett enjoyed a plunge party Redondo Beach Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Swartz and Reuben Sorbel of Gramercy avenue spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. McGoon of Pasadena. Mrs. Swartz and her hostess were old classmates.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thompson of Gramercy avenue were Long Beach visitors Sunday.

Guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fitzhugh of Arlington avenue were Misses Mattie Rowley and Genevieve Armstrong and Andrew MacMillan, of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gascoigne and daughter Maxine were entertained Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clemmings of Pomona.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harested and son Paul and Miss Bernice Allway of Gramercy avenue spent Sunday at Pasadena.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Delahunty of Walnut Park were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Madden of Gramercy avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Chicolgne have moved from Arlington avenue to their new home on Andreo avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Chambers of Long Beach and George Hall of San Pedro were dinner guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Bradford of Cabrillo avenue.

Mrs. Carl Stegmaier, Mrs. George Bailey and Mrs. Francis Hughes were Long Beach visitors Saturday.

C. F. Paulson of Seattle, Wash. was a guest last week of Mrs. Janette Woodburn and sons, of Cabrillo avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thompson of Gramercy avenue are driving a new Ford sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Lutz were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Ruell Cain of Santa Ana.

Mrs. N. E. Waitman of Narbonne avenue returned Saturday from several days' stay with Mrs. Morris Vroman of Los Angeles.

Mrs. R. G. Rogers and Mrs. Paul Harested spent Friday in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Woodington were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Williams of Montebello.

Mr. and Mrs. William Tolson and son, of Los Angeles, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Woodward of Arlington avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. William Shanteau of Chateau Thierry were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Bradford of Cabrillo avenue.

Miss Hazel Rowling and brother, Harold Rowling, of Vancouver, B. C., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Madden part of last week. Mr. and Miss Rowling will remain in Southern California.

Frank Hagar has returned to his home in Nevada after a two months' visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Roy McFarland. Mrs. Hagar will remain here for some time yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Rickenburg of Boone, Ia., were guests Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Kembel of Cota avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Doughty of 220th street enjoyed "The Ten Commandments" at Hollywood Wednesday evening.

Mrs. J. T. Price has moved from Lomita to 2111 Arlington street, Torrance.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Blaser of Columbus, O., are guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. H. A. Kembel, of Cota avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brandon of Gramercy avenue have returned from an enjoyable trip to the Imperial Valley, Mexico and San Diego.

Mrs. William Campbell and daughters, Mary and Marguerite, of Andreo avenue, are spending two weeks with friends at Fullerton.



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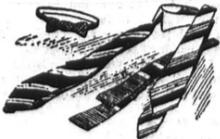
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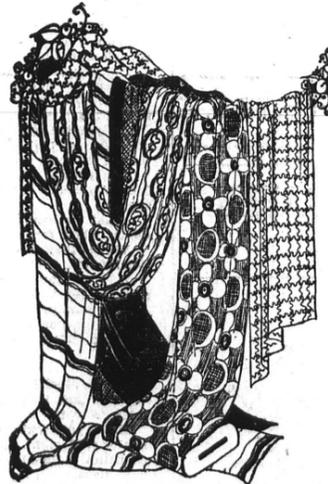


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